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ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1. Introductory sermon.
2. Call to order by the Moderator, if present; if he is not present by the Clerk.
3. Reading letters of churches and enrolling the names of delegates.
4. Election of officers, to-wit: Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer.
5. Appointment of committees on Religious Exercises.
6. Call for churches to become members of the Association.
7. Call for letters and messengers from other Associations.
8. Invite visiting brethren to seats.
9. Appointment of committees as follows: (1) Temperance, (2) Religious Literature, (3) Sunday School and Colportage, (4) Education, (5) State Missions, (6) Home Missions, (7) Foreign Missions, (8) Baptist Orphanage, (9) Finance, (10) Obituaries, (11) Ministerial Support, (12) Ministerial Relief, and chairman of Committees, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 13 for next year.
10. Appoint messengers to corresponding Associations and to the Baptist State Convention, and a delegate to the Southern Baptist Convention.
11. Call for reports from committees in the order in which they were appointed.
12. Appoint the time and place of next meeting and preacher of Introductory Sermon.
13. Treasurer's report.
14. Business matters or questions laid over from previous meeting; new business, motions, resolutions, etc.
15. Adjournment.

PROCEEDINGS.

The fifty-third annual session of the King's Mountain Baptist Association was held with the Pleasant Hill Baptist church, in the year 1903, on September 24th to 27th, inclusive.

At 11 A. M. Rev. R. F. Tredway preached the Introductory Sermon from I Corinthians, 1st chapter, 23d and 24th verses. The speaker drew, vividly, a picture of the cross, the sufferings of Christ and spoke of that great love which prompted them. The audience gave rapt attention to a discourse which held up Christ and the crucifixion. It was truly a Gospel sermon.

The former Moderator being absent, the Clerk called the Association to order at 12 M., and requested Rev. D. F. Putnam to act as Secretary *pro tem*.

On motion, the body adjourned one hour for dinner. Prayer by Dr. W. D. Hubbard.

THURSDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Association reassembled in the house at 1 P. M. Brethren E. B. Hamrick and J. L. Green were named as Reading Clerks.

Church letters were read, and the following delegates enrolled—viz.:

Beaver Dam—R. L. Harrill, J. D. McSwain, D. B. Green, C. C. Hamrick.

Bethlehem—J. G. Herndon, G. F. Hambright, G. A. Dixon, J. F. Herndon, T. W. Harmon.

Bessemer City—J. W. Nance, J. F. Lowry, C. C. Devenney.

Boiling Springs—E. B. Hamrick, D. J. Hamrick, J. B. Hamrick, E. D. Hamrick, O. W. Holland, M. D. Hollifield, D. S. Lovelace.

Buffalo—David D. Lankford, Shuford Mayhue.

Casar—C. D. Stroup, J. F. Clippard, Zero Mull.

Carpenter's Grove—A. T. Mull, D. C. Carpenter, J. Z. Falls.

Cherryville—B. H. Roberts, J. A. Stroup, J. W. Kendrick, R. F. Putnam, John S. Black, A. S. Kendrick.

Corinth—J. A. Wray.

Double Shoals—L. G. Bowen, J. M. Green.

Double Springs—W. W. Washburn, C. A. Washburn, G. W. Hamrick, J. L. Green, T. B. Hamrick, J. D. Barnett, C. A. Hamrick, O. M. Green.

Elizabeth—J. L. Allen, A. P. Spake, W. J. Roberts, W. P. Wilson, J. G. Allen, Hugh Borders.

Fallston—J. J. Blanton, A. F. Williams, Dr. W. A. Thompson.

Grover—A. J. Hughes, H. Dedmon, F. H. Bridges, J. W. Sheppard.

King's Mountain—G. W. Kendrick, D. P. Dellinger, M. D. McDaniel, J. C. Keller, C. T. Cornwell, S. S. Weir.

Lattimore—J. E. McBrayer, A. M. Lattimore.

Lawndale—J. L. McCurry, J. C. Eskridge.

Mt. Sinai—L. R. Putnam, E. A. Weaver.

Mt. Vernon—N. A. Campbell, Lewis Blanton.

Mt. Zion—W. E. Ferguson, A. L. Putnam, John F. Black.
New Bethel—T. J. Dixon.
New Hope—D. G. Webber, A. E. Bettis, Philip Seapaugh, S. H. Austell, R. B. Francis, T. H. Lowry, L. W. McSwain.
New Prospect—D. O. Alexander, D. H. Elliott, J. F. Cline, J. M. Gillespie, D. G. Mauney.
Oak Grove—W. J. Hicks, W. C. Dixon, W. P. Lovelace, A. Owen.
Patterson's Grove—I. H. Patterson, A. H. Bridges, Dowel Putnam.
Patterson's Station—E. C. Grigg, R. B. McBrayer, L. C. McSwain.
Pleasant Grove—L. A. Wright, Q. M. Ledford, V. A. Gardner, G. S. Royster, Sylvanus Gardner.
Pleasant Hill—J. A. Roberts, J. R. Dover, L. I. Kendrick, S. R. Anthony, W. H. Blanton, J. A. Dover.
Poplar Springs—T. J. Holland, A. M. Hamrick.
Ross' Grove—A. J. Dedmon, D. C. Elliott, J. E. Blanton.
Sandy Plains—J. D. Bridges, J. F. Green, J. P. Walker, L. S. Jenkins, C. R. Whitaker.
Shady Grove—Burt Stroup, M. D. Witherspoon.
Shelby—H. D. Wilson, A. B. Suttle, C. C. Roberts, M. N. Hamrick, C. B. Suttle, J. F. Williams, G. W. Wray, L. S. Hamrick, J. W. Hopper, T. K. Barnett, Lander McBrayer.
Union—R. L. Weathers, J. B. Nolan, J. A. Horn, W. F. Yelton, R. H. Bridges.
Waco—P. J. Kendrick, S. L. Dellinger, John F. Moss.
Zion—J. M. Wilson, J. W. Irvin, P. N. Martin, F. P. Gold.
Zoar—M. O. McEntyre, S. W. Hughes, W. B. Turner.

The Association proceeded to permanent organization by electing Rev. A. C. Irvin Moderator; D. S. Lovelace, Clerk, and T. K. Barnett, Treasurer, by a rising vote.

After a few words of thanks from each of the officers, the Moderator called for churches wishing to become members of this body with no response.

The Moderator named the following as a Committee on Religious Exercises—viz.: M. N. Hamrick, J. D. McSwain, C. C. Roberts, together with the pastor and deacons of the Pleasant Hill church.

The following messengers and visitors were invited to seats with us—viz.:

Revs. Z. D. Harrill and R. A. Hedgepeth, from the Sandy Run Association.

Rev. G. P. Harrill, of the Liberty Association, representing the Baptist Orphanage at Thomasville, N. C., and *Charity and Children*.

Rev. J. S. Farmer, representing the *Biblical Recorder*.

Rev. S. F. Conrad, representing the *North Carolina Baptist*.

Rev. W. D. Hubbard, now pastor of Shelby church.

Rev. R. F. Tredway, of Montgomery, Ala.

Rev. C. B. Justice, of the Green River Association.

The Moderator named the following committee—viz.:

Temperance—R. L. Weathers, F. P. Gold, T. K. Barnett, D. B. Green.

Religious Literature—A. C. Irvin (appointed last year), J. L. McCurry and D. B. Green.

Rev. A. C. Irvin read the following

REPORT ON RELIGIOUS LITERATURE.

Our acquaintance with others—with their plans and purposes, with their failures and success—is measured by our personal intercourse, conversation and reading. Dark indeed must be the dwelling place of that man, woman or child on the American continent to-day whose life, liberty and pursuit of happiness is not touched by the power of the printing press. The value of the religious press can not be overestimated as a medium of mental, moral and spiritual education. It is not simply a news factory, but is proving itself to be a most effective means to unite churches in doctrine and sentiment. It is not content with telling what has been done, but also tells how the laborers in our Master's vineyard have been working and gaining success. To satisfy our cravings for good news from Christian laborers at home and abroad, we must have our religious newspaper to inform us. Every Baptist family ought to take one or more religious papers in order to acquaint themselves with our denominational enterprises. We must become a reading people before we can catch the spirit and sympathy of our denominational work. We never can be stirred up to any enthusiasm in the various methods of our evangelizing the world until we fully understand their workings; therefore, to that end we recommend the *Biblical Recorder*, *North Carolina Baptist*, *Charity and Children*, *Foreign Mission Journal* and the *Baptist*.

A. C. IRVIN,
J. L. McCURRY,
D. B. GREEN,
Committee.

On motion, the report on Religious Literature was postponed to be taken up to-morrow morning immediately after devotional exercises.

On motion, the body adjourned to 9:30 to-morrow morning.

Prayer led by Rev. R. N. Hawkins.

FRIDAY—MORNING SESSION.

Met at 9:30 a. m. Devotional exercises conducted by Rev. D. F. Putnam.

The Moderator called the Association to order at 10 a. m. Roll of delegates was called and same corrected as shown in list.

The Moderator announced the following committees, viz:

- Foreign Missions*—R. L. Limrick, A. J. Dedmon, T. J. Holland.
State Missions—A. H. Sims, A. M. Lattimore, T. J. Dixon.
Home Missions—D. G. Washburn, D. H. Elliott, M. O. McEntyre.
Baptist Orphanage—C. J. Woodson, Hugh Borders, J. J. Blanton.
Sunday Schools and Colportage—R. F. Tredway, E. B. Hamrick, A. J. Hughes.
Education—J. V. Devenny, Lander McBrayer, L. B. Allen.
Digest of Church Letters—D. F. Putnam, T. W. Harmon, J. B. Nolan.
Time and Place—J. M. Wilson, C. A. Washburn, J. M. Green.
Finance—H. D. Wilson, J. E. McBrayer, Wm. Kendrick.

Baptist—J. V. Devenney, D. G. Washburn, D. F. Putnam.

Executive Board—W. D. Hubbard, A. H. Sims, J. S. Wray, J. V. Devenney, J. M. Wilson.

Denominational High School—J. V. Devenney, D. F. Putnam, J. E. McBrayer, J. L. Green, D. J. Hamrick, W. D. Hubbard, A. H. Sims, D. J. Keeter, A. C. Irvin.

[NOTE.—The last named was added to this committee by order of the Association.]

This committee to report next year.

Ministerial Support—D. F. Putnam, A. J. Hughes, J. D. Bridges.

Ministerial Relief—C. J. Woodson, J. L. McCurry, W. A. Thompson, G. W. Hamrick.

Obituaries—F. P. Gold, H. Dedmon, W. J. Roberts.

On motion, the order of business was suspended to give Rev. C. B. Justice twenty minutes to speak with reference to erecting a monument to the memory of our own beloved C. Durham, who now sleeps in an unmarked grave in the Raleigh Cemetery.

The Association, in quick response, raised \$52.48 (mostly paid cash) for this purpose. (See list of pledges.)

The letter from Casar Church was now received and read and her delegates seated. (See list of delegates.)

The special order, Religious Literature, was taken up and discussed by Revs. J. S. Farmer, T. Dixon, S. F. Conrad, G. P. Harrill, C. J. Woodson, W. D. Hubbard, D. F. Putnam.

The report on Religious Literature was adopted.

On motion, a committee of three was appointed, viz: J. V. Devenney, D. G. Washburn, and D. F. Putnam, to confer and report to this session on the propriety of continuing the *Baptist*, a periodical published within our bounds.

Bro. R. L. Weathers read the following

REPORT ON TEMPERANCE.

We feel that one of the greatest works of our churches in the past has been that of elevating the standard of temperance and putting down drunkenness, but the work has just begun, for drunkenness, followed by crime, still exists in our land.

About 90 per cent of the crimes in our country is caused, directly or indirectly, by strong drink. Public sentiment against the great evil of intemperance is growing and should continue to grow until it is driven from our land. The public laws of our country are sufficient, and if we, as Christians and citizens, will do our duty in seeing that the law is put in force, we will, by so doing, greatly aid in the cause of temperance, and the morality and intelligence of our people will be greatly elevated. Now, brethren, let's join hands and work together until intemperance, in the drink habit, exists among us no more.

Respectfully submitted,

R. L. WEATHERS,

F. P. GOLD,

T. K. BARNETT,

Committee.

Temperance was discussed by Bro. R. L. Weathers, and Revs. G. P. Harrill, S. F. Conrad and C. J. Woodson.

On motion, adjourned one hour for dinner.

FRIDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Prayer by Rev. R. N. Hawkins.

The Moderator called the body to order at 1 o'clock p. m., and the discussion on temperance was continued by Revs. R. F. Tredway and R. L. Limrick. The report on temperance was adopted.

Rev. J. V. Devenney read the following

REPORT ON EDUCATION.

I. *General Education.*—The people of the South, and especially those of our own State, are coming to realize, as never before, the importance of educating all the children of all classes. The conviction is finding expression in the building and improvement of school-houses, the making of provisions for longer terms for the public schools and a quickening of interest in educational matters among the whole people. The Baptist denomination, emphasizing as it does, liberty of conscience and individual responsibility to Almighty God, must ever stand in the forefront of all movements, having for their aim the uplifting and development of the masses.

We record with much satisfaction the untiring efforts put forth in recent years by our own people in behalf of general education, and we rejoice at the results already achieved.

II. *High Schools.*—While conceding the right and duty of the State to provide common school education for all the people, we must regard the various Christian denominations as in duty bound to make provisions for the higher education of their own adherents, and exert a positive influence in such education. For this purpose some of our sister Associations have established and are maintaining Associational High Schools. Your committee would therefore recommend that a Special Committee consisting of five or more brethren be appointed at the present session of our body whose duty it shall be to carefully and as thoroughly as possible canvass the situation and report at our next session the wisdom and expediency of establishing and endowing a denominational high school for this Association alone or for this in connection with one or more neighboring Associations.

III. *Our Colleges.*—We note with much pleasure the continued prosperity and gratifying attendance at Wake Forest College and the Baptist Female University. The number of young men at Wake Forest is now larger than at this season in any year of her history. Several of these are from our own bounds. This noble old college with all her magnificent past history seems just entering upon her grand career of usefulness.

Our Female University has been compelled to turn away from her doors for lack of room more than 40 girls who desired to enter this year. Although greatly hampered by debt, this excellent institution is rapidly growing in both efficiency and favor.

We can heartily commend these institutions to all our young men and young women desiring the advantages of a thorough, classical training under the best of Christian influences.

IV. *Ministerial Education.*—One of the fundamental aims of the

Baptist State Convention, of which we are a constituent part, is the aiding of young men, called of God and approved by their respective churches, in securing the necessary educational training to fit them for efficient work in the gospel ministry.

The Board of Education is now assisting 40 young men at Wake Forest College with others to come in later. Of this number two are from the Kings Mountain Association. For some reason the amounts given by our churches to this object have been rather meager, several churches not reporting anything last year. The need for an educated ministry is becoming more imperative as the years go by. God is still calling poor boys from the field or mill or shop to preach His gospel. Should we not increase our gifts to this object? We would most earnestly recommend that every church take a collection and every member make a contribution to this cause at some time during the coming year.

J. V. DEVENNEY,
LANDER McBRAYER,
L. B. ALLEN,

Committee.

The report on Education was spoken to by Revs. J. V. Devenney, T. Dixon, C. J. Woodson, R. F. Tredway, W. D. Hubbard, S. F. Conrad, J. C. Blanton.

The report on Education was read, discussed and adopted by sections. (See list of pledges.)

Rev. A. H. Sims read the following

REPORT ON STATE MISSIONS.

It was to do State mission work that our Convention was brought into being. Seventy-three years ago our fathers saw that the destitution in North Carolina could never be supplied without some organized effort. A little had been done in the way of State mission work by the Chowan and one or two other Associations, but there had been no well organized, systematic effort to plant Baptist churches all over our State until the organization of the Convention in 1830. It was around this idea that our Convention was built and State missions has been the cord binding our people together through all the years since.

It is making a moderate estimate to say that since the inauguration of the State mission work at least thirty-five thousand souls have been brought to Christ through the preaching of our missionaries. This is one of the direct results of State mission work. It will be seen that one out of five of the Baptists in the State to-day were won to Christ by the efforts of our State missionaries.

Many of our strongest churches were at one time beneficiaries of our Board. Mission churches were planted at important points in the State, which, in course of time, grew to be self-sustaining, and are now pouring their streams of beneficence into the treasury of our Convention. If every church in the State which has at some time in its history been aided by the Board were blotted out to-day, we would be but a feeble folk in North Carolina.

Though much has been done, very much yet remains to be done. Because of the industrial development in our State the burden on State missions is greater than ever before. Railroads are being pushed into new territory and towns are springing up along

these lines of road. People are moving from the country into these new towns and must have the Gospel given them by a missionary of the Board or many of them will be forced to do without Baptist preaching. The factory problem means more than we can realize to our State mission work. Every new cotton mill which is built is a loud call for State mission work.

We are operating this year on a basis of \$25,000, but the time for enlargement is upon us. We could easily use \$50,000 next year. We ought by all means to lay out the work for next year on a basis of \$30,000. Nothing short of this will meet the very pressing necessities which are upon the Board. Will not every church determine to take a part in the great work of "lengthening our cords and strengthening our stakes"? To do this we must enlarge our contributions to State missions.

A. H. SIMS,
A. M. LATTIMORE,
T. J. DIXON,

Committee.

On motion, State, Home and Foreign missions were blended so as to be discussed in close proximity and the same made a special order for 10 o'clock A. M. on to-morrow.

On motion, Baptist Orphanage was made a special order for 11 A. M. to-morrow.

The following were appointed as messengers to sister Associations—viz.:

Green River Association—Dr. W. D. Hubbard.

Sandy Run Association—Revs. A. C. Irvin, J. V. Devenny, R. L. Limrick, D. F. Putnam, J. L. McCurry.

The following were elected delegates to the Baptist State Convention—viz.: Dr. W. D. Hubbard, Revs. T. Dixon, D. F. Putnam, A. H. Sims, D. G. Washburn, A. C. Irvin, J. C. Gillespie, R. L. Limrick and Brethren M. N. Hamrick, J. M. Wilson, W. J. Roberts, D. J. Hamrick, D. S. Lovelace, J. H. Quinn, S. S. Weir.

Rev. T. Dixon was elected delegate to the Southern Baptist Convention with Rev. A. C. Irvin alternate.

On motion, adjourned to 9:30 to-morrow morning. Prayer by Rev. T. Dixon.

SATURDAY—MORNING SESSION.

Devotional exercises at 9:30, conducted by Rev. G. P. Harrill, of Thomasville, N. C.

The Association was called to order at 10 A. M. by the Moderator.

The hour for the special order having arrived, Rev. D. G. Washburn read the following

REPORT ON HOME MISSIONS.

There is no part of our work more important than home missions. State missions means much for North Carolina, and what State missions is to our State, home missions is to the Southern

States. The work of home missions is growing and your committee would emphasize the importance of enlarging our contributions to our Home Board. The growing demand at home and abroad and the conquest of the world for our Master require a great increase of contributions to this work. We would call attention to the great work that is being done in the cities of our Southern States among the foreign population, and also the vast amount of work that has been done in Cuba and Porto Rico; but yet there remains much to be done and the Board needs our help.

Another part of our home mission work is the mountain region of our Southern States. There has been much done in these destitute places; but still there is much yet to be done, and the fields are white already unto the harvest. Let Southern Baptists "go up at once and possess the land, for we are well able to overcome it."

Now, brethren, for the sake of saving the souls of dying men and women, let all the churches of this Association come up to the help of the Lord and in so doing we shall be fulfilling the command of our blessed Lord, who said "You shall be witnesses of Me beginning at Jerusalem."

D. G. WASHBURN,

D. H. ELLIOTT,

M. O. McENTYRE,

Committee.

Rev. R. L. Limrick now read the following

REPORT ON FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Your committee appointed to report on foreign missions beg leave to submit the following:

We believe that foreign missions is the base rock on which all missions rest; that it was the first mission and that it originated in heaven; that the first band that was organized was organized in heaven and the first missionary was the Lord Himself and that He was a foreign missionary.

For God sent His Son, not to condemn the world, but that the world through Him might be saved.

Out of foreign missions was established the other missions; therefore, as God sent His Son, so Christ came and sent out His disciples, and, therefore, every Christian should be a missionary to some one else. This work has grown so that now we have missionaries in South China, Central China, North China, Africa, Italy, Brazil, Mexico and Japan who are all doing faithful work.

Last conventional year we had 127 missionaries and 192 native helpers. Baptisms, 1,790.

Last year the Southern Baptists gave \$218,512.62, and still the call comes over to us for more missionaries. The call has been so great that the Southern Convention has made the basis of their work this year \$300,000. Therefore, your committee recommend that we increase our contributions to foreign missions this year.

R. L. LIMRICK,

T. J. HOLLAND,

H. DEDMON,

Committee.

Pending the motion to adopt State, home and foreign missions, same were discussed by Revs. A. H. Sims, D. G. Washburn, R. L. Limrick, R. F. Tredway and C. J. Woodson. On motion, Dr. Hubbard was given thirty minutes to discuss the mission work.

On motion, the above reports were adopted. See list for pledges.
At her own request a letter of dismission was granted to Mt. Vernon church.

Rev. C. J. Woodson read the following

REPORT ON BAPTIST ORPHANAGE.

The Baptist Orphanage, located at Thomasville, is an institution which commends itself to the practical sympathies of our people, its object being to feed, clothe, educate and qualify for positions of honor and usefulness the children of our deceased brethren and sisters—the grandest and noblest work that ever called forth the sympathies of Christian people.

This Orphanage has no endowment and is supported entirely by voluntary contributions. We have now 260 orphans, and before another session of this Association is held, through the liberality of a few of our philanthropic brethren whom God has blessed with abundant means, the number will probably be increased to 400. It is a self-evident proposition that this large increase in numbers demands a corresponding increase in contributions. The Apostle James tells us that pure and undefiled religion consists in visiting the fatherless in their affliction. The Master, Himself, says: "Inasmuch as ye did it unto the least if these, ye did it unto Me."

C. J. WOODSON,
J. A. BLANTON,
HUGH BORDERS,
Committee.

The above report was discussed by Revs. C. J. Woodson and G. P. Harrill.

On motion, the report on Baptist Orphanage was adopted. See list of pledges.

The Association adjourned three-fourths of an hour for dinner.
Prayer by Rev. D. F. Putnam.

SATURDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Met pursuant to adjournment. The Moderator called the body to order.

Rev. R. N. Hawkins presented to the body the state of the Buffalo church and her need of aid in building a house of worship, same being newly organized.

The following pledges were given to this object—viz.: See list.

Rev. R. F. Tredway read the following

REPORT ON SUNDAY SCHOOL AND COLPORTAGE.

The most important factor in our church work to-day is the Sunday school. The children in our Sunday schools will, in a few years, be the leaders in our church work. We are glad to note the large number of baptisms reported from the schools, and earnestly urge the members of our churches to encourage the Sunday schools with their presence and in every possible way.

We can not report anything definite in the colportage work, but

believe the time has come when the King's Mountain Association should employ a colporteur.

R. F. TREDWAY,
A. J. HUGHES,
E. B. HAMRICK,
Committee.

Remarks by Rev. R. F. Tredway and Dr. Hubbard. The report on Sunday School and Colportage was adopted.

An Executive Board, consisting of Dr. W. D. Hubbard, Revs. A. H. Sims and J. V. Devenny and Brethren J. S. Wray and J. M. Wilson, was appointed in lieu of the Board of Associational Missions.

Bro. F. P. Gold read the following

REPORT ON OBITUARIES.

We are thankful to the All-Wise Creator for the preservation of so many of our lives. Since the last meeting of this body we have lost by death sixty-seven, who have passed over the river to rest from their labors and their works will follow them. May we extend to the bereaved our heartfelt sympathy. We point them to Him who doeth all things well. Signed by the committee.

F. P. GOLD,
W. J. ROBERTS,
H. DEDMON,
Committee.

The above report was adopted.

Rev. D. F. Putnam read the following

REPORT ON MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.

We are glad to note that there is an awakening in this department of the Lord's work in our Association. Your committee is of the opinion that the membership of our churches are hindering the progress of the coming Kingdom by failing to give the pastors an adequate support. It is further the sense of this committee that no class of men have as great demand made upon them while receiving such small remuneration. The workman is worthy of his hire.

We, therefore, recommend to the delegates attending this Association to see to it that our hard-worked pastors are properly cared for.

D. F. PUTNAM,
A. J. HUGHES,
J. D. BRIDGES,
Committee.

The above report was adopted.

Rev. D. F. Putnam read the report on digest of church letters, as follows—viz.:

The Association is composed of thirty-seven churches, having a membership of 6,523; 418 baptisms are reported, a total gain of 230 over last year. There was raised this year \$5,586.00 for pastors salary, an increase of \$772.04 over preceding year; building and repairing, \$1,689.26, a decrease of \$722; for minutes fund, \$38.58, an increase of \$3.27; for State missions, \$392.09, \$57.02 less

than was reported last year; for home missions, \$308, against \$71.70; foreign missions, \$383.50, against \$42.42 over last report; for ministerial education, \$56.28, a loss of \$23.11; for Orphanage, \$245.63, \$19.33 less than last year; for old ministers, \$46.78, against \$57.54 last year; for the poor, \$137.40; for colleges, \$153.15; other objects, \$700.40; for Sunday school expenses, \$240; incidental, \$359.08, a grand total of \$10,239.50; a net loss of \$745.70. This loss is accounted for on the line building. There has been an increase in our general lines of work. Sixteen of the churches have made an increase in pastors salary. Most of the churches have made an increase in missions, but a few noticeable falling offs are observed. Three churches report nothing for pastor's salary. Four have decreased in this particular.

A majority of our churches make contributions to all the objects which we are supporting.

We note that there are 3,282 enrolled in the Sunday school. All but three report Sunday schools. We note that there is still a very manifest degree of carelessness shown in keeping records of work and reporting same to the Association. It is, therefore, impossible for your committee to make accurate reports of all moneys raised. It is to be regretted that some churches report no pastors salary, and other objects for which they make contributions are not given in their letters. Let us suggest that pastors and clerks observe and report all funds to the Association. Let us bring the people to the flag.

D. F. PUTNAM,
J. B. NOLAN,
T. W. HARMON,
Committee.

Remarks by Revs. D. F. Putnam and R. F. Tredway. The report was adopted.

No report was submitted on Ministerial Relief, but to express sympathy for the work the Association took pledges for ministerial relief, which will be found in list of pledges found in this work.

Appropriate talks were made by Revs. A. H. Sims and C. J. Woodson in regard to ministerial support.

Bro. H. D. Wilson read the following

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

We, the Finance Committee, beg to submit the following report:

For State missions.....	\$188.48
For home missions.....	112.30
For foreign missions	198.79
For Baptist Orphanage	55.85
For ministerial education	41.25
For old ministers' relief.....	53.33
For minute fund.....	45.25

Total\$695.25

H. D. WILSON,
J. W. KENDRICK,
J. E. MCBRAYER,
Committee.

The above report was adopted.

On motion, the Clerk was authorized to have the minutes of this session printed and retain \$10 of the minute fund for his services.

Bro. J. M. Wilson read the following

REPORT ON TIME AND PLACE.

We, your Committee on Time and Place, recommend that the next session of the King's Mountain Association meet with the Zoar church three miles south of Shelby, on Thursday before the fourth Sunday in September, 1904. We also recommend that Rev. W. D. Hubbard be appointed to preach the introductory sermon next year with Rev. D. F. Putnam alternate.

J. M. WILSON,
C. A. WASHBURN,
J. M. GREEN,

Committee.

The above report was adopted and the appointments therein confirmed.

T. K. BARNETT, Treasurer.

In account with King's Mountain Association.

1902		STATE MISSIONS.	
Sept. 27	To amount received from Finance Committee.....	\$208.40	
23	amount received from Clerk at Association.....	71.00	
28	hat collection at Association.....	31.25	
Nov. 10	cash from Fallston church.....	6.22	
18	cash from Shelby church.....	4.67	
19	cash from New Hope church.....	2.03	
23	cash from Pleasant Grove church.....	8.00	
Dec. 2	cash from Eastern Division S. S. Convention....	11.25	
15	cash from New Hope church.....	1.50	
Feb. 2	cash from Zion church.....	5.00	
4	cash from Lattimore church.....	10.00	
April 4	cash from Poplar Springs Sunday School.....	2.20	
May 11	cash from Boiling Springs church.....	3.25	
18	cash from New Hope church.....	2.37	
July 13	cash from Double Springs church.....	2.45	
Aug. 30	cash from Eastern Division S. S. Convention....	11.17	
Sept. 7	cash from Zion church.....	7.00	
			\$357.76

1902		CR.	
Sept. 28	By paid L. Johnson.....	\$56.25	
Oct. 9	check to W. Durham.....	254.40	
Dec. 2	" " ".....	32.17	
1903			
Feb. 5	" " ".....	16.50	
April 28	" " ".....	2.20	
June 25	" " ".....	5.62	
Sept. 21	" " ".....	20.62	
			\$387.76

1902		HOME MISSIONS.	
Sept. 27	To amount received from Finance Committee.....	\$77.56	
27	amount received from Clerk at Association.....	29.00	
Dec. 8	cash from Poplar Springs Sunday School.....	1.00	

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1903				
Feb. 4	To	cash from La'timore church	\$3.00	
Mar. 23		cash from Pleasant Grove church	5.00	
23		cash from Waco church	1.00	
24		cash from New Prospect church	5.00	
30		cash from S S Convention at Union church	2.35	
April 14		cash from Patterson Grove church	5.59	
May 18		cash from Mount Zion church .....	.64	
July 15		cash from New Hope church	2.67	
				132.81

1902			CR.	
Oct. 9	By	check to W. Durham	\$106.56	
1903				
Feb. 5		" " "	4.00	
April 18		" " "	18.94	
June 25		" " " .....	.64	
Sept. 21		" " "	2.67	

132.81

1902			FOREIGN MISSIONS.	
Sept. 27	To	amount received from Finance Committee	\$71.95	
27		amount received from Clerk at Association	31.41	
Nov. 23		amount received from Pleasant Grove church .....	.35	
Dec. 8		amount received from Poplar Spring S. School ..	1.00	
1903				
Feb. 4		amount received from Lattimore church	5.00	
Mar. 2		amount received from Pleasant Grove church ..	7.19	
23		amount received from Waco church	1.00	
24		amount received from New Prospect church	6.00	
April 23		amount received from Double Springs church	3.75	
24		amount received from Fallston church	8.00	
May 11		amount received from Boiling Springs church ..	3.00	
18		amount received from Mount Zion church	1.13	
Sept. 7		amount received from Zion church	5.00	

144.78

1902			CR.	
Oct. 9	By	check to W. Durham	\$103.36	
Dec. 2		" " " .....	.35	
1903				
Feb. 5		" " "	6.00	
Mar. 23		" " "	7.19	
April 14		" " "	7.00	
23		" " "	11.75	
June 25		" " "	4.13	
Sept. 21		" " "	5.00	

144.78

1902			EDUCATION.	
Sept. 27	To	amount received from Finance Committee	\$45.66	
27		amount received from Clerk at Association	9.50	
1903				
April 14		amount received from Ross Grove church	1.50	
14		amount received from Rev. J. C. Gillespie	1.00	

April 14	To	amount received from Shelby church	\$1.00
27		amount received from Poplar Springs church.....	1.50
June 1		amount received from Pleasant Grove church ...	2.06
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			62.23

1902	Cr		
Oct. 9	By	check to W. Durham	\$56.16
1903			
April 14	"	" " "	2.50
28	"	" " "	1.50
June 25	"	" " "	2.06
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			62.23

1902	MINISTERIAL RELIEF.		
Sept. 27	To	amount received from Finance Committee	\$53.90
27		amount received from Clerk at Association.....	12.50
1903			
Feb. 4		amount received from Lattimore church	1.00
June 1		amount received from Pleasant Grove church.....	2.03
July 21		amount received from New Hope church.....	1.27
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			70.75

1902	Cr.		
Oct. 9	By	check to W. Durham	\$66.40
1903			
Feb. 5	"	" " "	1.00
June 25	"	" " "	2.03
Sept. 21	"	" " "	1.27
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			70.75

1902	BAPTIST ORPHANAGE.		
Sept. 27	To	amount received from Finance Committee	\$51.64
27		amount received from Clerk at Association.....	26.50
27		amount received for beds for Orphanage.....	96.23
Nov. 29		amount received from Fallston church.....	5.23
1903			
Feb. 4		amount received from Lattimore church	2.00
June 1		amount received from Pleasant Grove church	2.06
20		amount received from Double Springs church ...	7.10
23		amount received from Mount Zion church.....	.90
July 7		amount received from Ross Grove church55
Sept. 7		amount received from Zion church.....	3.00
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			195.21

1902	Cr.		
Sept. 27	By	paid A. Johnson at Association	\$127.05
Oct. 13		check to S. H. Averett	47.32
Dec. 26		check to S. H. Averett	5.23
1903			
Feb. 5		check to W. Durham	2.00
June 25		check to S. H. Averett	10.06
Sept. 21		check to W. Durham	3.55
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			195.21

1903		MINUTE FUND.	
Sept. 27	To amount received from Finance Committee.....	\$42.08	
27	amount received from Clerk at Association ...	.70	
			42.76
1903		CR.	
Nov. 15	By paid C. P. Roberts. printing Minutes...	\$32.76	
29	paid D. S. Lovelace, Clerk.....	10.00	
			42.76
1903		UNIVERSITY FUND.	
Nov. 10	To cash received from Fallston church.....	\$6.00	
11	cash received from Elizabeth church	30.00	
18	cash received from Carpenter's Grove church ..	5.00	
23	cash received from Beaver Dam church.....	10.35	
Dec. 6	cash received from Union church	9.35	
22	cash received from Ross Grove church.....	2.50	
1903			
April 25	cash received from Mount Sinai church.....	5.00	
			68.20
1903		CR.	
Nov. 15	By check to L. D. Watson, Jr.....	\$36.00	
Dec. 2	" " "	15.35	
6	" " "	9.35	
1903			
April 28	" " "	7.50	
			68.20

Whole amount received during the year \$1,104.49
 Whole amount disbursed during the year..... 1,104.49

Respectfully submitted, T. K. BARNETT,
 Treasurer King's Mountain Association.

On motion, Treasurer's report was adopted.

A collection was taken to pay Treasurer for his work, amounting to \$10.41.

Rev. J. V. Devenny read the following report on the *Baptist*,

OUR ASSOCIATIONAL PAPER.

About one year ago Brethren D. F. Putnam and R. F. Tredway, at the solicitation of a number of the brethren, undertook the publication of a monthly sheet called the *Baptist*. Owing to a combination of unfavorable circumstances the paper has not met with the success hoped for. Inasmuch as we need some medium of communication and means of stimulating co-operation among the different churches of the Association, some such publication should find a field of great usefulness. We would, therefore, recommend the continuation of the *Baptist*, either under its present management or under such arrangement as the present managers may think wise to make. We would respectfully suggest the wisdom of having a fixed date for publication each month and arrangements for prompt and accurate mailing to subscribers. We would further pledge our cordial co-operation and support to the paper,

and, as pastors and delegates, will endeavor to give it a paying list of subscribers.

J. V. DEVENNY,
D. G. WASHBURN,
D. F. PUTNAM,
Committee.

The report on *Baptist* was discussed by Revs. J. V. Devenny and C. J. Woodson. On motion, the above report was adopted.

The Moderator appointed the following as chairmen of committees to report next year:

Temperance—C. J. Woodson.
Religious Literature—D. F. Putnam.
Sunday School and Colportage—R. N. Hawkins.
Education—J. C. Gillespie.
State Missions—A. H. Sims.
Home Missions—R. L. Limrick.
Foreign Missions—Dr. W. D. Hubbard.
Baptist Orphanage—W. P. Wilson.
Digest of Church Letters—D. G. Washburn.

A motion was put before the house to change Article V in Rules of Decorum, by striking out the word "twenty" in line 4 of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "ten." The ayes and nays were taken and the motion was lost.

On motion, the collection to-morrow will be applied to State missions.

Bro. J. M. Wilson offered the following resolution of thanks—viz.:

Resolved, That the thanks of this body are due, and are hereby tendered, to the Pleasant Hill church, and also to members of other churches and the people of this community for the many kindnesses shown us and the hospitable manner in which we have been entertained during this session of the Association, and may the choicest blessings of heaven rest upon this church and community is the earnest prayer of this body.

J. M. WILSON.

On motion, the above resolution was unanimously and heartily adopted.

Rev. J. V. Devenny was appointed to conduct a Sunday school mass-meeting in the church to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

On motion, the Association adjourned to meet with the Zoar Baptist church, three miles south from Shelby, N. C., on Thursday before the fourth Sunday in September, A. D., 1904.

A. C. IRVIN, *Moderator.*

D. S. LOVELACE, *Clerk.*

DEVOTIONAL EXERCISES DURING THE SESSION.

Rev. R. A. Hedgepath, Forest City, N. C., preached at stand 11 A. M., Friday.

Rev. D. F. Putnam, Cherryville, N. C., preached at church, 7:30 P. M., Friday.

Rev. J. C. Blanton, King's Mountain, N. C., preached at Patterson's Station, 7:30 P. M., Friday.

Rev. S. F. Conrad, Charlotte, N. C., preached at stand, 11 A. M., Saturday.

Rev. R. N. Hawkins, R. F. D., No. 3, Shelby, N. C., preached at Patterson's Station, 7:30 P. M., Saturday.

SUNDAY'S SERVICES.

At 10 A. M. J. H. Quinn conducted a Sunday school mass-meeting, during which several good Sunday school talks were made.

At 11 A. M. Rev. R. F. Tredway preached in the house and Dr. W. D. Hubbard at the stand. The Sunday collection was applied to State missions.

At 1 o'clock P. M. Rev. A. H. Sims preached in the house and Rev. T. Dixon at the stand.

Thus closed a very interesting session of the King's Mountain Association—one that was well attended from the beginning and one noted for fine music furnished by the Pleasant Hill choir under the leadership of Professor B. H. Roberts.

(CLERK.)

SUBSCRIPTION TO THE C. DURHAM MONUMENT.

C. J. Woodson.....	\$5.00	J. W. Kendrick.....	1.00
A. C. Irvin.....	5.00	J. W. Irvin.....	.50
Dr. Hubbard	1.00	J. C. Gillespie.....	.50
S. F. Conrad.....	1.00	D. B. Green .....	.50
A. H. Sims.....	1.00	C. C. Hamrick.....	.50
A. B. Suttle	5.00	C. D. Stroup .....	.50
Mrs. Dr. W. A. Thompson.	1.00	J. D. McSwain.....	.25
G. W. Hamrick.....	1.00	R. L. Weathers.....	.50
A. M. Lattimore.....	1.00	T. J. Ramseur	5.00
R. B. McBrayer.....	1.00	D. F. Putnam.....	1.00
J. E. McBrayer.....	1.00	Lander McBrayer	1.00
J. M. Wilson.....	1.00	A. P. Spake.....	.50
Dr. W. A. Thompson.....	1.00	B. M. Bridges.....	.50
A. J. Hughes.....	.50	G. W. Wray.....	1.00
C. A. Hamrick.....	1.00	H. Dedmon .....	.25
T. Dixon	1.00	J. W. Sheppard.....	.25
J. D. Barnett.....	.50	D. G. Washburn .....	.50
C. A. Washburn.....	.50	Mrs. G. W. Kendrick.....	1.00
T. J. Dixon.....	.50		
J. L. McCurry.....	.50		46.75
W. D. McDaniel.....	.50	Hat collection	5.73
G. W. Kendrick.....	1.00		
T. H. Bridges .....	.50	Total	52.48

PLEDGES FOR BUFFALO CHURCH.

Bethlehem	\$2.00	Pleasant Hill	\$2.00
Bessemer City	2.00	Poplar Springs	2.00
Casar	1.00	Shelby	20.00
Cherryville	3.00	Rev. C. J. Woodson.....	5.00
Double Springs	2.00	J. W. Hopper.....	5.00
Lawndale	2.00		
New Bethel	3.00	Total	51.00
Pleasant Grove	2.00		

PLEDGES FOR MINISTERIAL RELIEF.

Beaver Dam, Pd.....	\$1.00	New Bethel	\$8.00
Bethlehem	5.00	New Hope	3.00
Boiling Springs, Pd.....	2.00	New Prospect	1.00
Bessemer City	2.00	Oak Grove, Pd.....	.50
Buffalo	2.00	Patterson's Grove.....	1.00
Casar	1.00	Patterson's Station.....	1.50
Carpenter's Grove	1.00	Pleasant Grove, Pd.....	2.00
Cherryville	3.00	Pleasant Hill	2.00
Corinth	1.00	Poplar Springs.....	1.50
Double Shoals	1.00	Ross' Grove	1.00
Double Springs, Pd.....	1.00	Shady Grove	1.00
Elizabeth, Pd.....	2.50	Shelby	10.00
Grover	3.00	Union	1.00
Kings Mountain	5.00	Waco	1.00
Lattimore	1.00	Zion	2.00
Lawndale	3.00	Zoar, Pd.....	1.00
Mt. Sinai, Pd.....	1.00		
Mt. Zion	1.00	Total	74.00

CHURCHES PLEDGED AS FOLLOWS FOR MINISTERIAL
EDUCATION.

Beaver Dam, Pd.....	\$1.50	New Bethel	\$10.00
Bethlehem	3.00	New Prospect	1.50
Bessemer City, Pd.....	7.00	Oak Grove, Pd.....	.50
Casar	1.00	Patterson's Grove.....	1.00
Carpenter's Grove	1.50	Patterson's Station	1.50
Cherryville	4.00	Pleasant Grove	3.00
Corinth	1.00	Pleasant Hill	1.50
Double Shoals	1.00	Poplar Springs	1.00
Double Springs, Pd.....	4.00	Ross' Grove	1.00
Elizabeth, Pd.....	2.50	Shelby	15.00
Fallston	5.00	Union	2.00
Grover	5.00	Waco	2.00
Kings Mountain	5.00	Zion	2.00
Lattimore, Pd.....	1.50	Zoar, Pd.....	1.00
Lawndale	5.00		
Mt. Zion	1.50	Total	92.50

PLEDGES FOR BAPTIST ORPHANAGE.

Beaver Dam, Pd.....	\$4.50	Oak Grove, Pd.....	\$1.25
Bethlehem	5.00	Patterson's Grove.....	2.00
Boiling Springs	2.50	Patterson's Station	3.00
Bessemer City, Pd.....	5.00	Pleasant Grove	2.00
Buffalo	3.00	Pleasant Hill, Pd.....	5.00
Casar	3.50	Poplar Springs	2.00
Carpenter's Grove	4.00	Ross' Grove	2.50
Cherryville	23.00	Sandy Plains, Pd.....	3.00
Corinth	1.50	Shady Grove	2.00
Double Shoals	3.00	Shelby	40.00
Double Springs, pre-sent.	7.10	Union	5.00
Elizabeth, Pd.....	20.00	Waco	3.00
Grover	5.00	Zion	3.00
Kings Mountain	5.00	Zoar, Pd.....	2.50
Lattimore	2.00	Rev. C. J. Woodson.....	10.00
Lawndale	25.00		
Mt. Sinai, Pd.....	1.50		257.85
Mt. Zion	2.00	Hat collection in house..	11.71
New Bethel	40.00	Hat collection at stand...	4.10
New Hope	6.00		
New Prospect	3.00	Total	273.66

CHURCHES PLEDGED AS FOLLOWS FOR STATE, HOME AND
FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Churches.	State Missions.	Home Missions.	Foreign Missions.
Beaver Dam.....	\$6.00	\$3.00	\$5.00
Bethlehem.....	15.00	5.00	12.00
Boiling Springs.....	5.00	3.00	10.00
Bessemer City.....	5.00	3.00	5.00
Buffalo.....	2.00	1.00	2.00
Casar.....	3.00	3.00	3.50
Carpenter's Grove.....	4.00	2.00	3.00
Cherryville.....	20.00	10.00	10.00
Corinth.....	4.00	1.00	1.00
Double Shoals.....	3.00	3.00	2.00
Double Springs.....	20.00	10.00	8.00
Elizabeth.....	31.00	12.00	19.44
Fallston.....			
Grover.....	16.00	13.00	13.00
Kings Mountain.....	20.00	5.00	15.00
Lattimore.....	10.00	3.00	5.00
Lawndale.....	10.00	10.00	20.00
Mt. Sinai.....	2.50	1.50	1.00
Mt. Zion.....	2.00	2.50	2.50
New Bethel.....	30.00	30.00	40.00
New Hope.....	9.00	5.00	5.00
New Prospect.....	5.00	6.00	8.00
Oak Grove.....	1.25	1.25	1.25
Patterson's Grove.....	2.00	3.00	2.00
Patterson's Station.....	2.50	2.50	2.50
Pleasant Grove.....	9.00	6.00	8.50
Pleasant Hill.....	6.00	7.00	10.00
Poplar Springs.....	3.00	2.50	3.00
Ross' Grove.....	5.00	2.00	5.00
Sandy Plains.....	5.00	3.65	4.00
Shady Grove.....	3.00	2.00	3.00
She'by.....	110.00	60.00	85.00
Union.....	5.00	2.00	5.00
Waco.....	10.00	4.00	6.00
Zion.....	12.00	6.00	6.00
Zoar.....	3.50	3.00	3.00
C. J. Woodson.....	5.00	10.00	25.00
Totals.....	404.75	246.90	359.69

TABLE SHOWING TIME, PLACE, ETC., FROM ORGANIZATION TO
PRESENT TIME.

Year.	Where Held.	Introductory Sermon.	Moderator.	Clerk.	Treasurer.
1851	Double Springs	D. Pannel	T. Dixon	J. R. Logan	
1852	New Bethel	J. Suttle	do	do	
1853	Boiling Springs	G. W. Rollins	D. Pannel	do	
1854	Mt. Sinia	D. Pannel	do	do	
1855	Zion	G. W. Rollins	do	do	
1856	New Prospect	T. Dixon	T. Dixon	do	
1857	Big Springs	G. W. Rollins	G. W. Rollins	do	
1858	Olivet	J. Suttle	do	J. W. Green	
1859	Pleasant Hill	G. W. Rollins	L. M. Berry	J. R. Logan	
1860	High Shoals	L. M. Berry	do	do	
1861	Lincolnton	R. P. Logan	do	do	
1862	New Bethel	L. M. Berry	G. W. Rollins	do	
1863	Sandy Run	G. W. Rollins	do	do	
1864	Bethel, Ire. Co.	L. M. Berry	R. P. Logan	do	
1865	Zoar	G. W. Rollins	do	do	
1866	Concord	P. R. Elam	R. Poston	do	
1867	Thessalonica	J. H. Yarboro	J. H. Yarboro	G. M. Webb	
1868	Mt. Paron	G. M. Webb	do	do	
1869	Double Springs	G. W. Rollins	G. W. Rollins	do	
1870	High Shoals	R. P. Logan	do	do	
1871	Bethel, Ire. Co.	G. M. Webb	T. Dixon	do	
1872	Bethlehem	Wade Hill	do	do	
1873	Zion	G. W. Rollins	G. W. Rollins	B. H. Bridges	
1874	Sandy Run	Wade Hill	do	do	
1875	New Hope	T. Dixon	T. Dixon	L. M. Logan	
1876	Sandy Plains	G. W. Rollins	do	do	
1877	Pleasant Hill	J. H. Yarboro	G. W. Rollins	do	
1878	Boiling Springs	A. C. Irvin	T. Dixon	B. H. Bridges	B. H. Bridges.
1879	New Prospect	H. Hatcher	A. L. Stough	L. M. Logan	
1880	Double Springs	P. R. Elam	T. Dixon	do	
1881	Buffalo	W. A. Nelson	do	do	
1882	Bethel, R. Co.	A. L. Stough	J. Y. Hamrick	do	
1883	Pleasant Grove	G. P. Hamrick	do	do	T. D. Lattimore
1884	Big Spring	A. C. Irvin	H. F. Schenck	do	T. D. Lattimore
1885	Grover	B. W. Bussey	do	D. S. Lovelace	T. D. Lattimore
1886	Beaver Dam	G. M. Webb	do	do	T. D. Lattimore
1887	New Bethel	J. D. Hufham	do	do	T. D. Lattimore
1888	High Shoals	J. M. McManaway	do	do	T. D. Lattimore
1889	Elizabeth	G. P. Hamrick	do	do	T. D. Lattimore
1890	Zion	J. A. Speight	do	do	T. D. Lattimore
1891	Waco	F. C. Hickson	do	do	T. D. Lattimore
1892	Gastonia	G. P. Hamrick	do	do	T. D. Lattimore
1893	Boiling Springs	J. L. Sproles	do	do	T. D. Lattimore
1894	Shelby	A. C. Irvin	do	do	T. D. Lattimore
1895	Bethlehem	J. D. Hufham	do	do	T. D. Lattimore
1896	Lattimore	G. P. Hamrick	do	do	T. D. Lattimore
1897	New Hope	A. C. Irvin	E. Y. Webb	do	T. D. Lattimore
1898	Sandy Plains	T. Dixon	do	do	J. F. Williams.
1899	New Prospect	G. M. Webb	do	do	J. F. Williams.
1900	Double Springs	R. L. Limrick	do	do	T. K. Barnett.
1901	Cherryville	T. Dixon	do	do	T. K. Barnett.
1902	Pleasant Grove	R. N. Hawkins	H. F. Schenck	do	T. K. Barnett.
1903	Pleasant Hill	R. F. Tredway	A. C. Irvin	do	T. K. Barnett.

CONSTITUTION.

We, the united Baptist churches of Jesus Christ, located partly in the States of North Carolina and South Carolina, having all been immersed upon a profession of our faith in Christ, propose to maintain the order and rules of an Association according to the following plans:

ARTICLE 1. This Association shall be known by the name of the King's Mountain Baptist Association.

2. This Association shall be composed of such members as shall be chosen and recommended by the churches in union.

3. Other churches may become members of this Association by their delegates presenting certificates of their appointment, provided on examination they be found orthodox.

4. The Association shall organize by electing a Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer, who shall hold their appointments until another election, unless displaced by the body.

5. This Association, as an act of Christian courtesy, may invite ministers of our denomination to seats with us in council.

6. This Association, when convened, shall be governed by a regular and proper decorum, which they are authorized to form for themselves.

7. This Association hath an inalienable right to judge what churches shall be admitted to its confederacy.

8. The Association thus formed shall be regarded by us only in the light of an advisory council, with no coercive power "to lord it over God's heritage."

9. This Association shall have power to withdraw from any church in its connection that shall hold corrupt doctrine or indulge in sinful or vicious practices.

10. Every church in union having a membership not exceeding fifty in number shall be entitled to a representation of two delegates and one additional delegate for every increase of fifty over that number.

11. The primary object of this Association shall be "to strive for the unity of the Spirit in the bonds of peace" amongst the churches, the employment of domestic missionaries and to keep up the statistical accounts of the churches in its connection, and, finally, to concentrate our efforts for the advancement of the Redeemer's kingdom on earth and for the deposition of the works of darkness.

12. None but the members of this body shall be allowed a vote in its councils, and a majority shall decide in disposing of and settling all business that may constitutionally come before them.

13. This Association in all cases disclaims the right, in its associate capacity, to settle church difficulties; but when a division occurs and two parties equally claim to be the church, and represent themselves by letter and delegates, this Association shall have the right to decide at the first or some future meeting of its body thereafter, which party shall be recognized as the constitutional church and entitled to a seat in council.

14. The minutes of the Association shall be read each day and corrected, if need be, by the body, and when the business shall be gone through with, signed by the Moderator and Clerk before the Association rises.

15. Any article of this Constitution may be altered or amended at any annual meeting by a majority of two-thirds of the delegates present voting for the same.

RULES OF DECORUM.

1. The Association shall be opened and closed by prayer.
2. The Moderator shall be deemed a judge of order, and shall have a right to call to order at any time; also it shall be his duty to see that the Rules of Order are attended to; to take the opinion of the Association on all questions properly brought before the body.
3. Any member not being satisfied with his decision on any point of order may appeal to the Association on the same day the decision is made, but at no other time.
4. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to keep a regular record of the transactions of the Association.
5. But one person shall speak at a time, and he shall rise to his feet and obtain leave of the Moderator, and when he has done speaking he shall sit down, and shall not speak more than twice on the same question nor more than twenty minutes at a time, unless he obtain permission of the Association.
6. The Moderator, when addressed for leave of speech, shall signify the same by naming of them, or otherwise.
7. No member shall be interrupted while speaking, unless he depart from the subject on hand, or use words of personal reflection, or with a view of calling to order for some particular purpose. Any motion made and seconded shall come under the consideration of the Association, except withdrawn by him who made it.
8. Every case taken up by the Association shall be decided first before another is offered.
9. When anything is taken up by the Association, after allowing time for debate, the Moderator shall put the question, and those in favor of the thing proposed shall say "aye" and those opposed to it shall say "nay," and the Moderator shall procure the decision.
10. No person being a member shall depart the service of the Association without leave.
11. The appellation of "Brother" shall be used in our addresses to each other.
12. The names of the members shall be called as often as necessary.
13. No member shall be indulged in any practice that has a tendency to interrupt in the time of a public speech, or any other practice that would dishonor the Association.
14. The Moderator shall be entitled to the same privilege of speech as any other member, provided he appoints some other member to his seat while he is speaking, but shall not vote unless the Association be equally divided, then he shall give the casting vote.
15. Any person breaking these rules of order shall be reprovved at the discretion of the Association, but only on the day the breach was made.

ABSTRACT OF PRINCIPLES.

1. We believe in one only true and living God—the Father, Son and Holy Ghost—three in one.
2. We believe that the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments are the Word of God, and the only true rule of faith and practice.
3. We believe in the doctrine of original sin.
4. We believe in man's impotency to recover himself from the fallen state he is in by nature, by his own free will and holiness.
5. We believe in the doctrine of Election, through sanctification of the Spirit and belief of the Truth.
6. We believe that sinners are justified in the sight of God, only by the merit of Jesus Christ.
7. We believe the saint shall persevere in grace, and not finally fall away.
8. We believe that baptism and the Lord's Supper are ordinances of Jesus Christ, and that true believers who have been immersed upon a profession of faith are the only proper subjects of the Lord's table.
9. We believe in the resurrection of the dead, and general judgment.
10. We believe that the joys of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will be eternal.
11. We believe that no minister has a right to the administration of the ordinances, only such as has been called of God, as was Aaron, and regularly baptized and approved by the church, and come under the imposition of hands by a Presbytery.

SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS.

King's Mountain Baptist Association.

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Name of School.	Superintendents and their Post-offices	Secretaries and their Post-offices.	No. of Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Total.	No. of Schools.	No. Volumes in Library.	Quarters and other Papers taken.	Months Kept Open.	Average Attendance.	No. Baptisms from School.
Beaver Dam	S. M. Weathers, R. F. D. 3, Shelby	Hoyle C. Kendrick, R. F. D. 4, Shelby	7	65	72	2		65	12	25	5
Bethlehem	J. O. Blalock, Crocker	R. G. Logan, Crocker	10	80	90	1		60	12	50	
Bolling Springs	Esley Green, R. F. D. 3, Shelby	M. T. Green, R. F. D. 3, Shelby	8	110	118	1		100	12	64	11
Bessemer City	H. W. Clark, Bessemer City	M. C. Carpenter, Bessemer City	12	160	172	1		220	12	130	6
Buffalo	T. B. Richards, Stubbs										
Casar	J. L. Leary, Casar	C. D. Stroup, Casar	5	55	60	1		60	6	34	
Carpenter's Grove	J. Z. Falls, Bellwood	A. T. Mull, Knob Creek	7	53	60	1		52	6	35	1
Cherryville	B. H. Roberts, Cherryville	J. W. Kendrick, Cherryville	8	222	230	1	25	250	12	103	25
Cleveland Mills	T. J. Ramseur, Cleveland Mills	Johny Southard, Cleveland Mills	6	60	66				12	27	
Cornith											
Double Shoals	J. M. Green, Double Shoals	G. A. Green, Double Shoals	6	73	73	1		50	12	42	1
Double Springs	I. D. Harrell, Lattimore	J. S. Bridges, Depeu	9	67	72			125	12	70	11
Elizabeth	I. B. Allen, Shelby	D. F. Hord, Shelby	10	171	181	1	50	140	12	84	10
Fallston †	P. Z. Carpenter, Fallston	J. J. Blanton, Fallston									
Grover	J. A. Ellis, Grover	Marvin Turner, Grover	13	185	208	1		291	12		8
King's Mountain	David P. Dellinger, King's Mountain	K. D. McCullough, King's Mountain	6	50	56			90	12	35	25
Lattimore	A. M. Lattimore, Lattimore	J. H. Jones, Lattimore									
Lawndale											
Mt. Sinai	J. F. Blanton, Sice	E. A. Harrill, Sice	10	42	52			8	6	25	6
Mt. Vernon *	C. Martin, Hull's Cross Roads	D. P. Lattimore, Hull's Cross Roads	5	55	60			60	4	40	
Mt. Zion	A. L. Houser, Cherryville	A. L. Putnam, Cherryville	6	84	90	1		67	9	55	
New Bethel	Carrie Ellum, Lawndale	C. M. Ledford, Cleveland Mills	9	69	78		51	103	12	35	
New Hope	S. H. Austell, Earl	R. E. Nichols, Earl	7	82	89	1		68	9	48	
New Prospect	J. W. Stroup, Waco	T. P. Beam, R. F. D. 1, Shelby	6	50	56						5
Oak Grove	W. T. Falls, King's Mountain	Miss Ada Brown, King's Mountain	7	83	87	1		55	12	30	8
Patterson's Station	H. M. Camp, Patterson's Springs	Logan McBrayer, Patterson's Springs	8	79	87			65	9	35	8
Pleasant Grove	V. A. Gardner, Beam's Mills	Miss Essie Elliott, Beam's Mills	6	60	66	1		66	12	45	1
Pleasant Hill	S. R. Anthony, R. F. D. 2, Shelby	Miss Dover, R. F. D. 2, Shelby	6	79	85	1		100	9	48	4
Poplar Springs	T. J. Holland, R. F. D. 3, Shelby	M. M. Moore, R. F. D. 3, Shelby	5	65	70	1		66	12	40	8
Ross' Grove	A. J. Dedman, Shelby	R. C. Gillespie, Shelby	8	75	83	1		80	12	50	3
Sandy Plains	J. P. Walker, New House	B. F. Jenkins, New House	7	78	81	1		75	12	39	6
Shady Grove			5	95	95			28	12	25	1
Shelby	C. C. Roberts, W. P. Beam, Shelby	J. J. Lattimore, C. Ripley, Shelby	39	420	458	2		415	12	263	4
Union	R. L. Weathers, Camp Call	R. E. Campbell, Camp Call	3	101	104	1		100	12	60	
Waco	W. H. Moss, Waco		7	89	96	1		125		55	
Zion	J. M. Wilson, Double Shoals	T. L. Simmons, Pearl	7	80	87	1		80		40	
Zoar	S. W. Hughes, Shelby	B. V. McEntire, Shelby	8	50	58	1		76	12	40	15
Total			275	3,056	3,331	30	126	3,190			195

* Took letter of dismission. † A new church—school opened last August.

STATISTICAL TABLE

Churches	Clerks and their Post-offices.	Pastors and their Post-offices.	Time of Teaching.	Received by Baptism.	Received by Letter.	Restored by Letter.	Received by Restoration.	Total.	Lost by Letter.	Lost by Exclusion.	Total.	Gain.	Loss.	Males.	Females.	Total Mem- bership.
Beaver Dam	T. P. Hamrick, R. F. D. 4, Shelby	J. M. Bridges, R. F. D. 4, Shelby	4	8	1	1	1	10	8	5	17	---	7	113	208	321
Bethlehem	J. F. Herndon, King's Mountain	A. H. Sims, King's Mountain	4	10	7	2	2	19	10	2	19	---	---	106	125	231
Bolling Springs	J. B. Hamrick, R. F. D. 3, Shelby	C. W. Salter, Welford, S. C.	4	17	---	---	---	17	13	---	12	---	2	134	158	292
Bessemer City	H. W. Clarke, Bessemer City	D. F. Putnam, Cherryville	2, 4	21	17	---	---	41	12	---	19	29	---	50	73	123
Budalo	W. L. Dedmon, Stubbs	R. N. Hawkins, Sharon	4	7	13	---	---	20	---	---	9	20	---	18	32	50
Casar	J. F. Clippard, Casar	D. G. Washburn, Depew	4	2	---	1	1	3	8	1	9	---	8	32	40	72
Carpenter's Grove	A. B. Peeler, Casar	J. M. Bridges, Camp Hill	4	2	9	---	---	11	1	---	10	---	---	40	39	79
Cherryville	W. J. F. Stivers, Cherryville	D. F. Putnam, Cherryville	1, 3	4	7	---	---	11	12	3	17	33	---	93	155	248
Corinth	G. W. Hood, Plateau	J. B. Bridges, Jug Town	4	4	7	1	---	12	3	---	15	5	---	35	45	80
Double Shoals	J. M. Green, Double Shoals	Z. D. Harrill, Ellenboro	3	3	3	---	---	6	3	---	9	---	---	39	63	102
Double Springs	W. L. Green, R. F. D. 4, Shelby	D. G. Washburn, R. F. D. 4, Shelby	2	13	15	2	2	31	2	---	34	27	---	132	173	305
Elizabeth	W. J. Roberts, Shelby	A. H. Sims, King's Mountain	2	14	5	2	2	22	10	1	14	6	---	136	165	301
Fallston	J. J. Blanton, Fallston	T. Dixon, Beam's Mills	2	3	19	---	---	22	---	---	9	26	---	92	133	225
Grover	J. J. Keeter, Grover	J. D. Bally, Cowpens, S. C.	1	15	---	---	---	16	5	---	9	7	---	81	122	203
King's Mountain	S. S. Weil, King's Mountain	A. H. Sims, King's Mountain	1	98	26	1	1	125	4	1	10	120	---	100	122	222
Latimore	J. H. Jones, Latimore	A. C. Irvin, Pearl	---	---	5	---	---	5	---	---	4	---	5	53	73	126
Lawndale	Jas. H. Foyles, Lawndale	J. V. Deviney, Lawndale	4	---	8	---	---	8	1	---	3	4	---	21	30	51
Mt. Vernon *	F. A. Weaver, Sluce	J. M. Goode, Moorsboro	4	8	---	---	---	8	---	---	3	4	---	49	55	104
Mt. Zion	A. L. Leathermon, Hulls X Roads	J. M. Bridges, Camp Hill	1	12	5	---	---	17	3	1	1	12	---	45	65	110
New Bethel	A. L. Houser, Cherryville	J. C. Gillespie, Shelby	3	2	5	2	---	9	4	---	1	5	---	58	119	173
New Hope	Carme Elam, Lawndale	J. V. Deviney, Lawndale	1	2	1	3	6	12	26	2	30	---	24	56	107	163
New Prospect	D. G. Webber, Earl	J. V. Deviney, Lawndale	2	2	---	---	---	4	3	---	8	11	5	117	155	272
Oak Grove	J. M. Gillespie, Double Shoals	T. Dixon, Beam's Mills	3	30	9	2	41	55	3	6	14	27	---	115	155	270
Patterson's Grove	W. G. Dixon, Waco	R. N. Hawkins, R. F. D. 3, Sharon	3	9	8	2	21	41	3	4	7	2	---	50	55	105
Patterson's Sta.	J. E. Patterson, King's Mountain	J. C. Gillespie, Shelby	3	1	---	---	---	1	17	---	2	21	1	41	65	106
Pleasant Grove	R. C. McSuglin, Patterson Springs	D. G. Washburn, Depew	3	4	4	2	13	21	17	2	19	---	6	112	164	276
Pleasant Hill	J. A. Gardner, Beam's Mills	A. D. Washburn, Depew	1	8	5	3	16	22	2	2	1	11	---	118	166	284
Poplar Springs	A. M. Roberts, Patterson Springs	D. G. Washburn, Depew	4	7	4	3	14	22	1	1	3	---	---	36	50	86
Reese's Grove	J. E. Hamrick, R. F. D. 3, Shelby	J. C. Gillespie, Shelby	1	21	10	2	18	33	10	3	21	7	---	58	75	133
Sandy Plains	C. R. Whitaker, New House	C. D. Harrill, Ellenboro	3	3	6	3	12	21	8	3	8	---	---	88	164	252
Shady Grove	D. R. Stoup, Cherryville	J. D. Woodword, Gastonia	1	1	3	3	3	7	4	3	8	---	4	35	52	87
Shelby	C. C. Roberts, Shelby	W. D. Hubbard, Shelby	E, S	5	11	---	---	16	13	1	18	---	2	186	236	422
Union	R. L. Weather, Camp Hill	J. A. Hedgepath, Forest City	3	2	5	3	10	16	40	1	43	---	32	70	136	206
Waco	J. M. F. Moss, Waco	R. A. Hedgpath, Forest City	1	1	---	---	---	1	1	1	1	4	---	66	78	144
Zion	F. F. Gold, Pearl	Z. D. Harrill, Ellenboro	1	18	5	3	3	26	10	3	13	13	9	66	124	190
Zoar	S. B. Hamrick, Shelby	D. G. Washburn, Depew	3	3	3	3	3	12	3	2	12	---	---	64	90	154
Total			423	226	33	682	257	57	72	386	401	105	2,065	3,829	6,494	

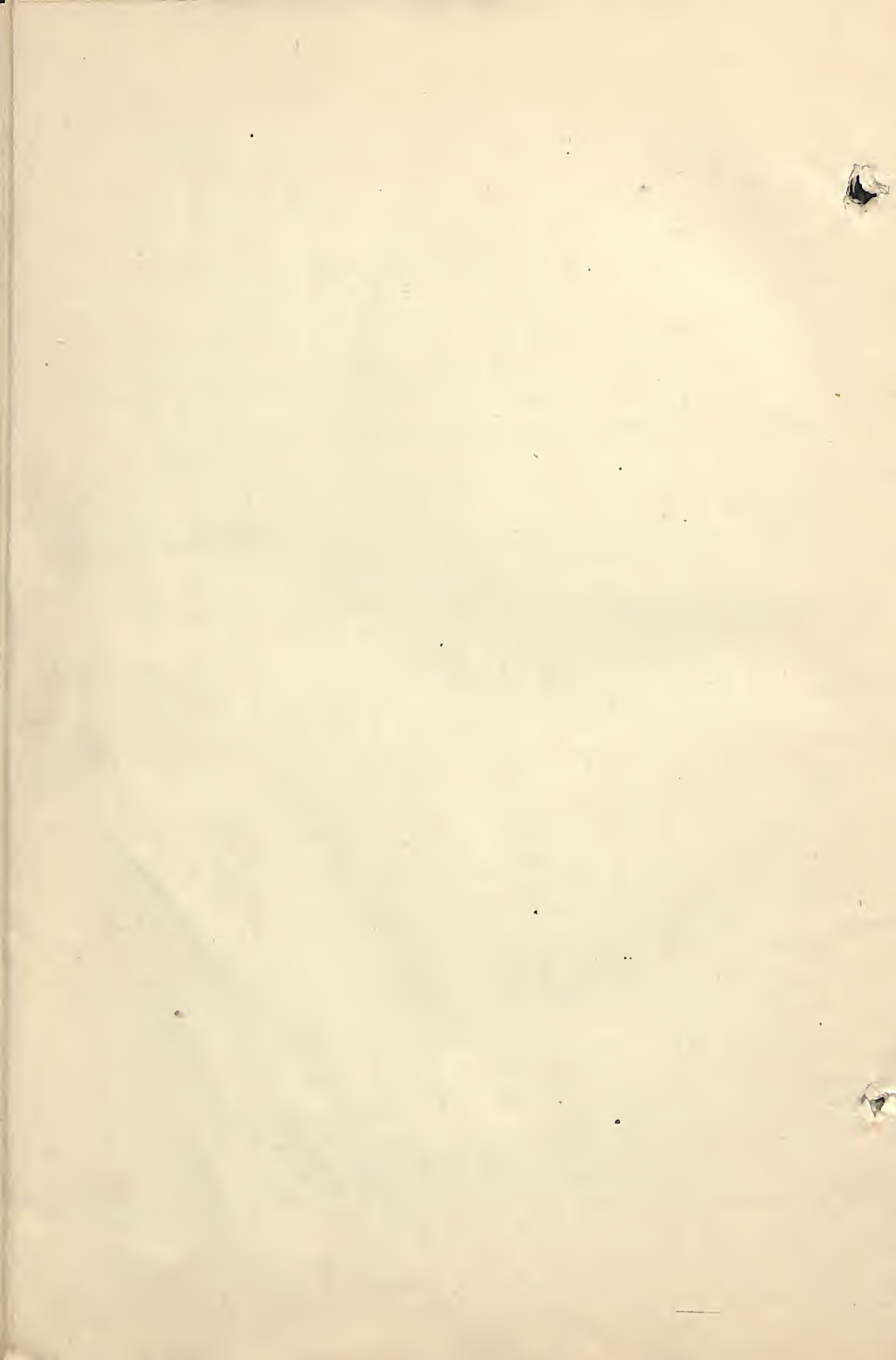
* Mt. Vernon took a letter of dismission.

FINANCIAL TABLE.

Churches.	Pastor's Salary.	Building and Repairing.	Incidentals.	Sunday School Expenses.	The Poor.	State Missions.	Home Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Orphanage.	Ministerial Education.	Old Ministers Relief.	Other Objects.	Minute Fund.	Total for all Objects.	Seating Capacity.	Value of Church Property.
Beaver Dam.....	\$100.00		\$21.35	\$8.00		\$3.00	\$3.00	\$3.50	14.50	13.50	23.00			\$147.85	600	\$800
Bethlehem.....	225.00					5.00	3.00	12.00	5.00	3.00	5.00			269.00	600	1,000
Bouling Springs.....	200.50		18.05	5.75		5.00	3.00	10.00	6.50	3.00				250.15	300	500
Bessemer City.....	205.00	\$75.00	35.51	30.00		5.00	5.00	5.89	15.62	.25				457.59	500	1,200
Buffalo.....	50.00					1.00	1.00	1.00			.10			54.00		600
Cash.....	83.00	25.00	8.56	3.60		2.50	2.00	3.00	5.82	1.00	1.00			111.48		450
Carpenier's Grove.....	65.00			4.30		3.50	2.00	3.00	23.00	3.00	1.00			126.85	450	600
Cherryville.....	250.00	3.04	33.40	45.33	5.50	16.00	9.00	12.58	1.00	2.00	2.50			459.45	500	1,200
Corinth.....	60.00					4.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00			69.00	500	500
Double Shoals.....	65.00		3.00	5.92		3.00	3.00	2.00	3.00	1.00	1.00			95.87	450	800
Double Springs.....	200.00		2.00	12.50	6.00	20.45	10.00	8.00	7.10	4.00	1.00			310.35	400	800
Elizabeth.....	200.00		50.00	13.68	12.46	31.00	12.00	19.44	18.50	2.50	2.50			379.58	500	750
Fallston.....	100.00	700.00	2.00			6.22	4.59	5.23	5.23	5.00	2.50			872.12	400	900
Grover.....	270.00		16.58	15.29	13.00	21.50	12.00	22.57	15.00	5.00	3.00			563.84	500	500
Kling's Mountain.....	300.00	10.87		37.47		15.90	10.00	5.00	2.00	5.00	5.00			563.27	500	1,300
Lattimore.....	120.00	35.00	28.00	12.68		10.00	3.00	5.00	2.00	5.00	1.00			157.18	500	1,000
Lawndale.....	200.30			6.34		14.48	14.30	27.65	34.05	5.00	4.70			317.13		
Mt. Sinai.....			6.30	2.07		2.50	1.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	1.00			16.37	250	400
Mt. Vernon *.....		800.00				2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.00	1.00			8.30		
Mt. Zion.....			5.00	6.00		2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.00	1.00			821.90	450	1,000
New Bethel.....	253.10		7.90	28.20		28.97	30.62	42.38	58.11	11.35	8.10			483.93	400	1,000
New Hope.....	84.00		8.30	6.51	61.30	9.00	5.00	5.00	6.00	1.50	3.00			197.26	500	1,000
New Prospect.....						8.00	5.00	6.00	2.00	1.50	1.00			113.52	300	1,500
Oak Grove.....	60.00			5.00		1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.15	1.50			73.89	300	400
Patterson's Grove.....	75.00					2.00	6.57	5.00	2.35	1.15	1.00			93.67	500	600
Patterson's Station.....	60.00					2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.00			123.26	400	800
Pleasant Grove†.....	40.00		13.00	5.68	5.90	8.00	5.00	7.50	2.06	2.06	2.08			113.20	400	1,000
Pleasant Hill.....	150.00		6.00	15.00		6.00	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.06	2.00			251.30		1,000
Poplar Springs.....	100.00	40.00	25.00	8.00		4.70	2.00	4.30	4.25	1.50	1.40			134.96	500	600
Ross's Grove.....	80.00		8.21	8.00		5.00	2.00	6.00	2.50	2.50	1.00			123.70	250	600
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